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sugar; crew, 24; bound for Philadelphia; Spanish steamship Berenguer el Grande, with crew, 46; 2 passengers, bound for New Orleans via Cuban ports. June 19, Cuban steamship Olinda, crew, 53; passengers, 65; bound for New York. June 20, British steamship Victoria with crew, 26; cargo, sugar; for Boston; British steamship Kennett, with crew, 21; cargo of sugar; bound for New York.

Cardenas.—Thirteen deaths are recorded due to the following causes: Pulmonary tuberculosis, 3; heart disease, 3; strangulated hernia, 1; athrepsia, 1; malarial fever, 1; rachitis, 1; meningitis, 1; arteriosclerosis, 1, and gastro-enteritis, 1. Rate mortality for the week, 27.31.

Isabela de Sagua.—Nine deaths are recorded, making the rate mortality 22 per 1,000 for the week. The causes stated are as follows: Bronchitis, 1; tetanus, infantile, 1; remittent malarial fever, 1; pulmonary tuberculosis, 1; cirrhosis of liver, 1; septicæmia, 1; arterio-sclerosis, 1; carcinoma, 1, and tuberculosis of bones, 1.

Caibarien.—Three deaths are reported.

Respectfully,

R. H. von Ezdorf,

Assistant Surgeon, U.S. M. H.S.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,

U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

Report from Nuevitas.

NUEVITAS, CUBA, June 21, 1902.

SIR: Through Surg. A. H. Glennan, U. S. Marine-Hospital Service, I have the honor to submit the following report for the two weeks ended June 21, 1902.

Nuevitas.—Four bills of health were issued to vessels clearing for ports in the United States, 16 health certificates were issued to passengers, and 5 persons were vaccinated. The mortuary reports show 5 deaths from the following causes: Inanition, 1; infantile cholera, 2, and enteric fever, 2.

Puerto Padre.—Three deaths—hydrophobia, 1; malignant pustule, 1, and suicide, 1.

Gibara.—Meningitis, 1. No quarantinable disease has been reported anywhere in this district.

Respectfully,

E. F. McConnell,

Acting Assistant Surgeon, U.S. M. H. S.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,

U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

Report from Santiago de Cuba-Mortuary statistics.

SANTIAGO DE CUBA, June 18, 1902.

SIR: Through Surgeon Glennan, Havana, I have the honor to forward mortuary statistics for June 1 to June 7, 1902, and June 8 to June 14, 1902. It will be observed that the death rate for the week ended June 14 is just double that for the week ended June 7. It is also more than a third in excess of the corresponding week of last year.

Respectfully,

ALEXANDER B. McDowell,

Acting Assistant Surgeon, U.S. M. H.S.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,

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